

2009 Idaho Insect & Disease Identification Workshop Coeur d'Alene, ID



When: May 27-28, 2009

Where: IPNF Supervisor's Office

3815 Schreiber Way Coeur d'Alene, ID 83815

208-765-7223

Directions: See map below

Cost: \$10 per student payable to Treasurer, State of Idaho. (Cost is \$20 after May 13th)

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Instructors: USFS-FHP-R1

Sandy Kegley, Entomologist Lee Pederson, Entomologist Carol Randall, Entomologist Holly Kearns, Pathologist John Schwandt, Pathologist **Idaho Department of Lands**

Tom Eckberg, Entomologist Neal Kittelson, Entomologist Dan Miller, Pathologist

Objectives: Upon completion of this course students should be able to:

- Recognize and identify important forest insects and disease encountered in the Inland Northwest.
- 2. Use the field guide to identify common forest insects and diseases.

ALL STUDENTS PLEASE NOTE:

- 1. Bring your own lunch to eat in the field
- 2. Bring field gear: boots, rain gear, pulaski or hatchet.
- 3. If spending the night, make your own arrangements.
- 4. If possible, please bring a van or carry-all for transportation in the field.
- 5. A field guide will be supplied.

Wednesday May 27:

8:00-8:45	Introduction.	field guide explanation and	problem diagnosis (Holly Kearns).

8:45-10:00 Introduction to bark beetles: Sandy Kegley

Mountain Pine Beetle, Western Pine Beetle

Pine Engraver Beetle, (Sandy Kegley)

Red Turpentine Beetle, Sequoia Pitch Moth

Fir Engraver Beetle (Lee Pederson)

Douglas-fir Beetle, Western Balsam Bark Beetle, Spruce Beetle (Tom Eckberg)

10:00-10:15 Break (examine specimens)

10:15-11:30 Introduction to root diseases and stem decays (Holly Kearns, Dan Miller)

11:30-12:30 Travel to field and lunch (bring your lunch).

12:30-4:00 Field trip: Identification of important pests.

4:00-4:30 Return from field trip.

Thursday, May 28:

8:00-9:30 - Introduction to dwarf mistletoes, needle casts, and rusts (John Schwandt and Dan Miller)

9:30-9:45 - Break (examine specimens).

9:45-11:15 - Introduction to wood borers, defoliators, weevils, and other miscellaneous insects.

Wood Borers / Ambrosia Beetles (Tom Eckberg)

Douglas-Fir Tussock Moth (Carol Randall)

Western Spruce Budworm, Larch Casebearer, (Tom Eckberg)

Balsam Wooly Adelgid, (Neal Kittelson)

Weevils and Shoot Borers (Carol Randall)

11:15-12:00 - QUIZ

12:00-1:00 - Travel to field and lunch (bring your lunch).

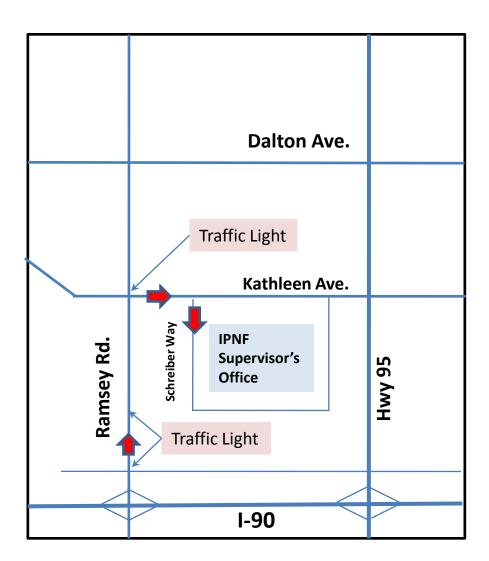
1:00-3:30 - Field trip: Identification of important pests.

3:30-4:00 - Course evaluation.

4:00-4:30 - Return from field trip.

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Directions to IPNF Supervisor's Office: From Interstate 90 take the Ramsey Rd exit (#11) and proceed north to Kathleen Avenue (3rd traffic light). Turn right and proceed approximately ¼ mile to Schreiber Way. Turn right on Schreiber Way and take an immediate left. The Supervisor's Office is the large building.